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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
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Sir:

Please find enclosed seven (7) sheets of formal drawings, consisting of Figs. 1, 2A, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7A and 7B to replace the informal drawings previously filed with the application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee associated with the filing of the enclosed formal drawings (or credit any overpayment thereof) to counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782 (Order No. STL 3090; a duplicate of this transmittal is provided.

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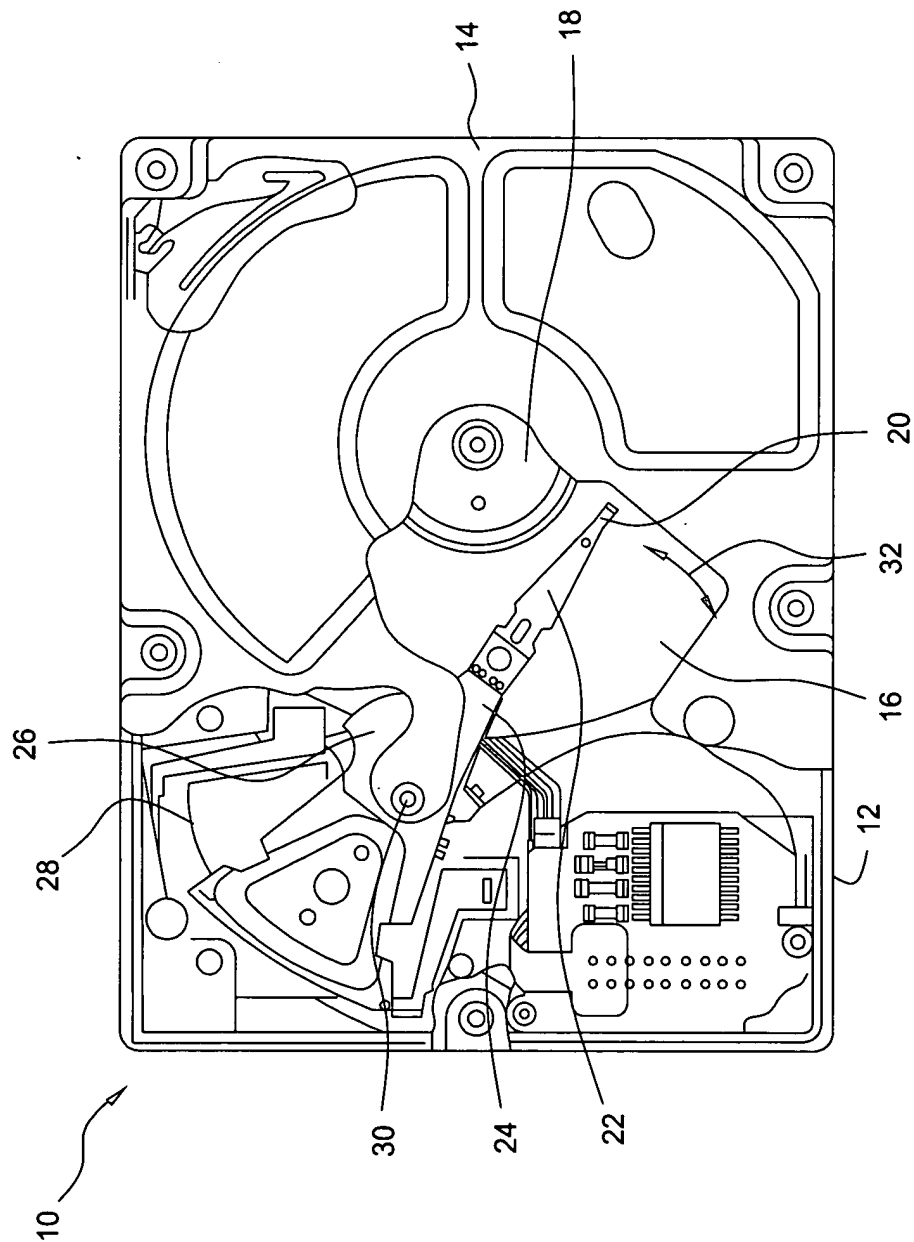


FIG. 1

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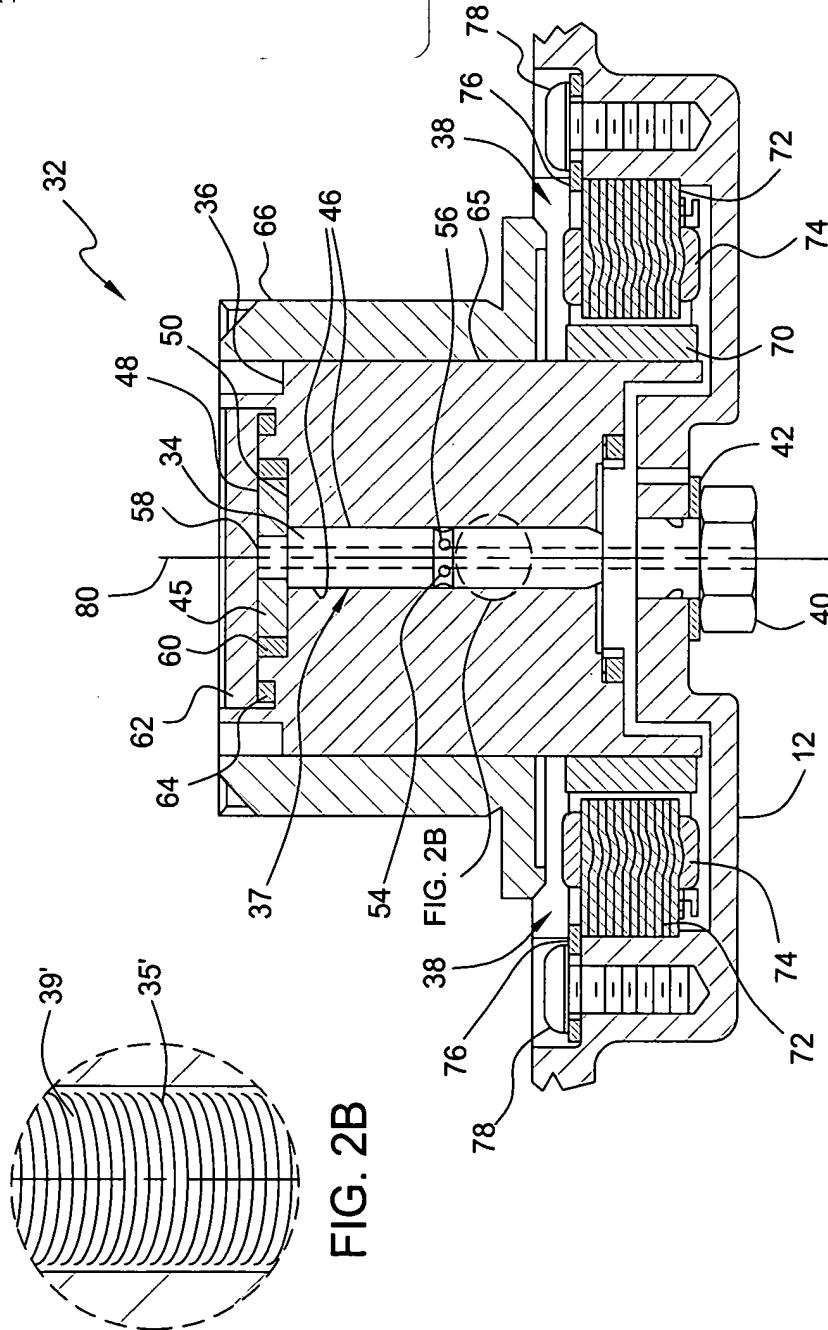


FIG. 2A

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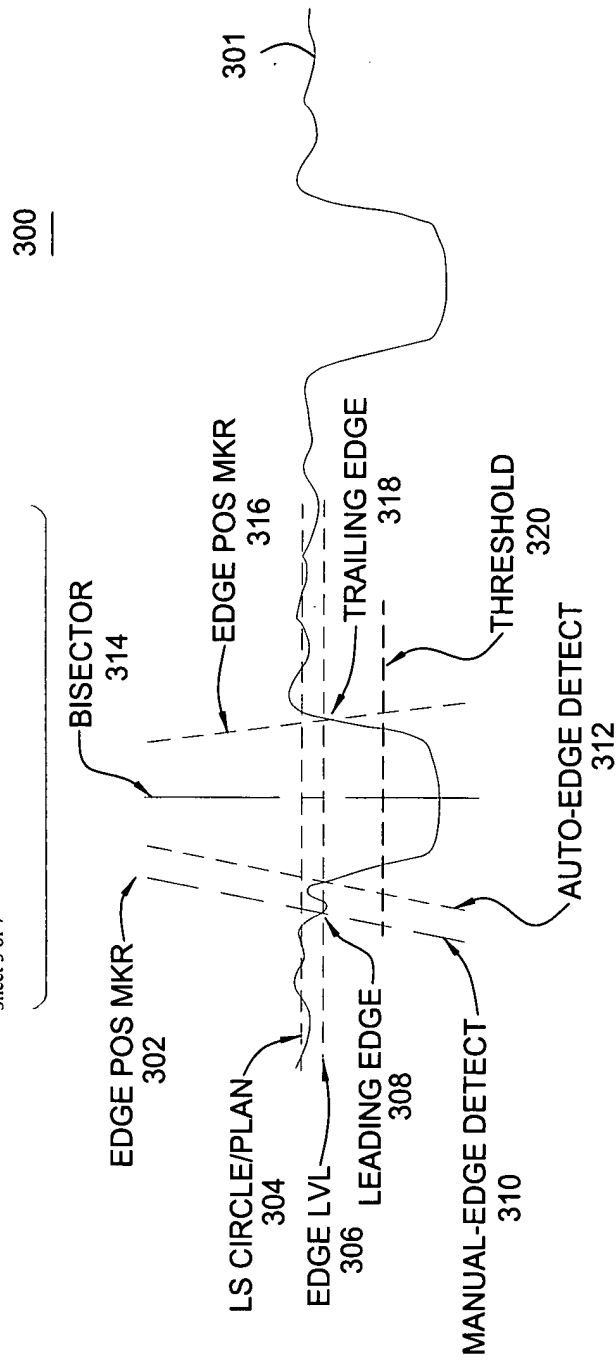


FIG. 3

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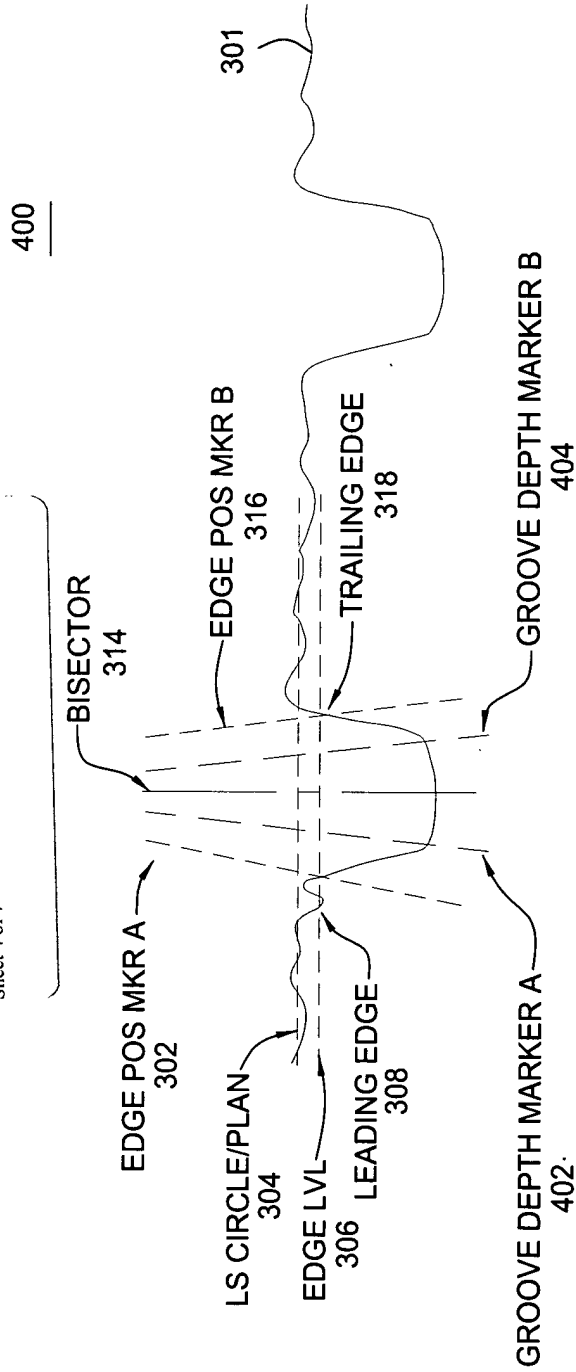


FIG. 4

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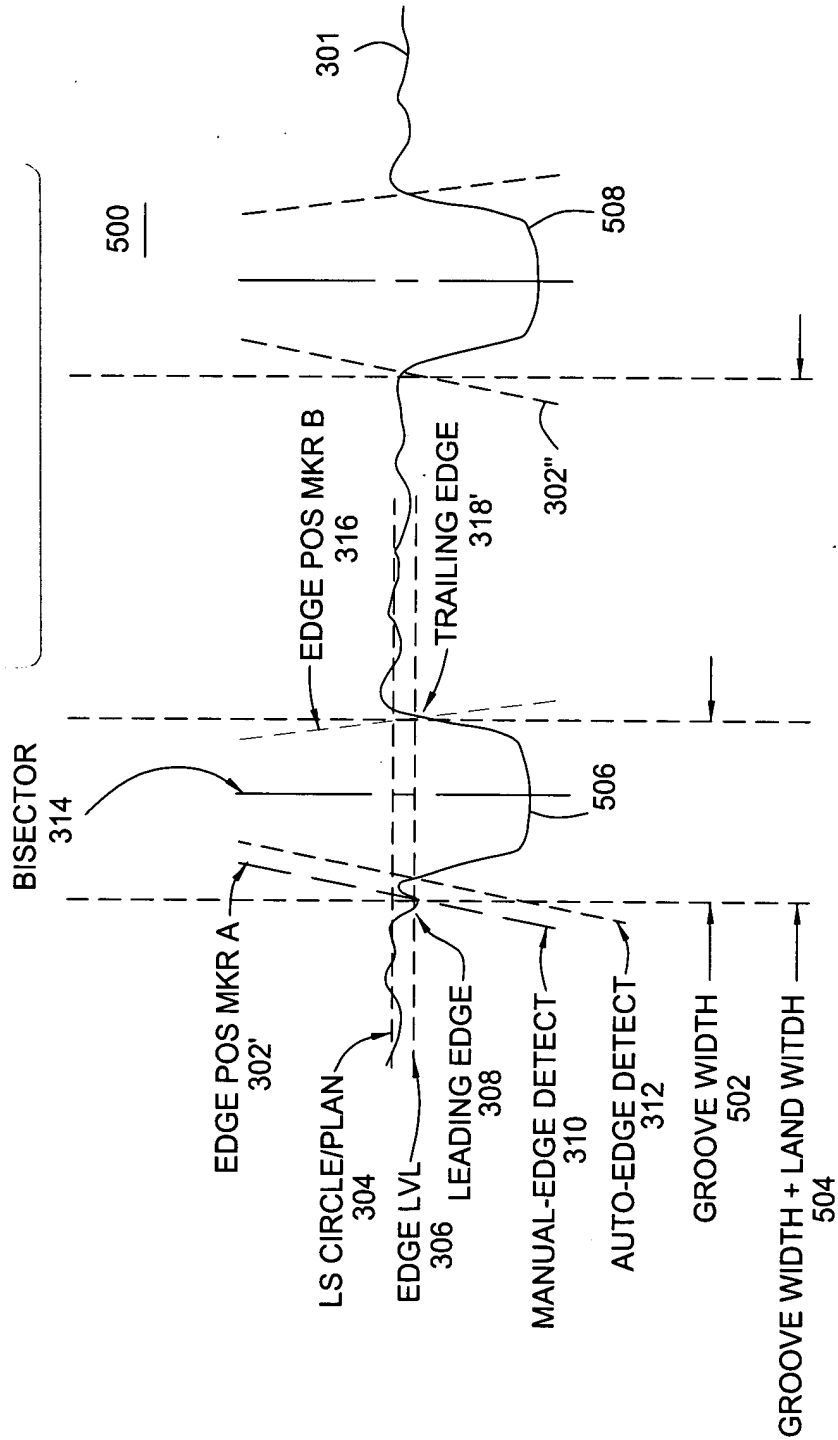


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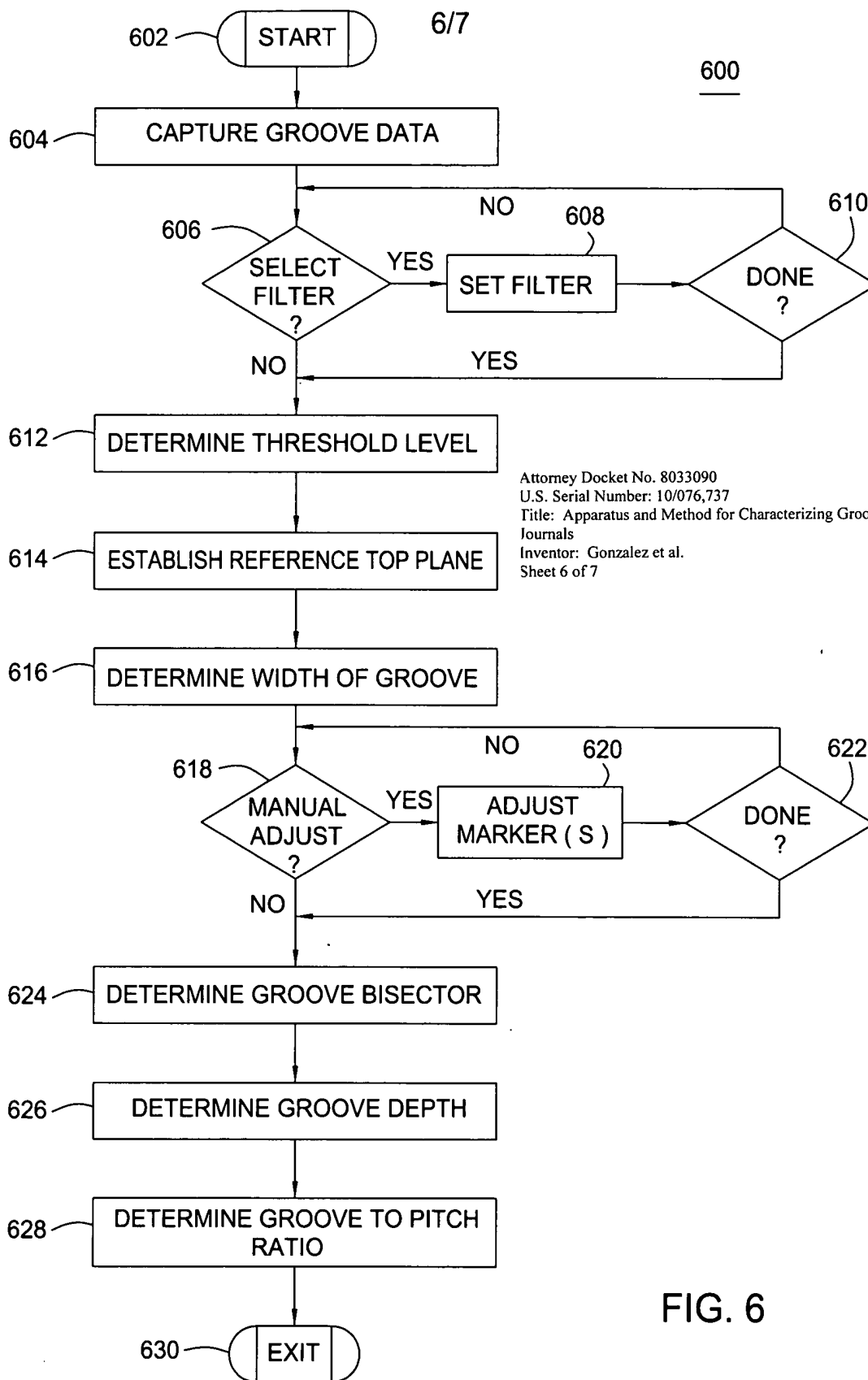


FIG. 6



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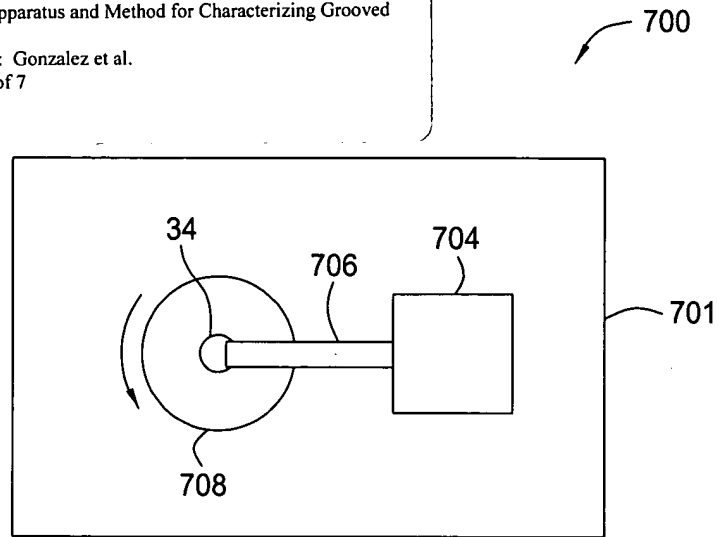


FIG. 7A

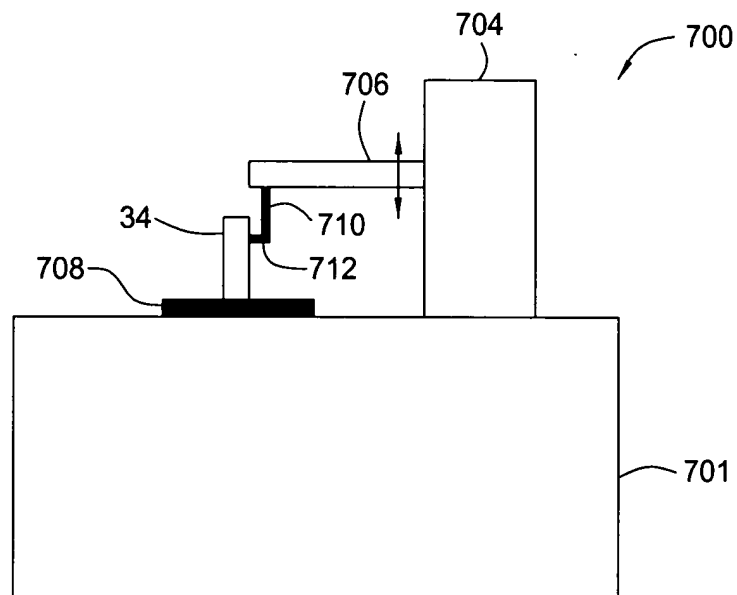


FIG. 7B